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This Second Information Disclosure Statement includes a copy of Form PTO-1449 that identifies a prior patent assigned to the assignee of the subject invention. The patent relates generally to structure for interconnecting two or more terminal fittings. The Examiner is requested to consider this reference during the examination and to make the reference of record.

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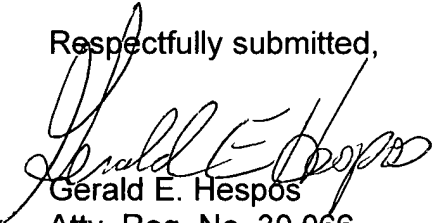
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